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# RIDGEVIEW GLAD FARM

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Glens Falls, N.Y.

Member of Glens Falls Garden Club, American Glad Society, New England Glad Society, Schenectady Horticultural Society.

### GLADIOLUS, DAHLIAS, IRIS, PEONIES AND OTHER PERENNIALS All orders of \$1.50 or over from this list postpaid in U. S.

DISCOUNTS: Orders of \$2.00 or over will receive 10%; \$10 and over 15%, and \$25.00 and over, 20% extra on gladiolus, excepting collections on which we give extra count.

## THRIPS

All glad bulbs should be disinfected as thrips or their eggs may be destroyed 1), 3: 17 easily by the following methods:

Napthalene flakes scattered among the bulbs, 1 oz. to each 100 bulbs, covering bulbs with heavy papers or enclosing in tight paper bags. This should be done after bulbs are cured (five or six weeks after digging). Allow flakes to remain three weeks and then remove bulbs and keep in cool temperature, 5 or 10 above freezing.

Fumigation can be done three or four weeks before planting, providing bulbs are

stored in cool place during the winter.

Soaking should be done just prior to planting. Any of the following solutions help prevent disease and also destroy bugs and eggs:

Bichloride of Mercury,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. to 4 gals. water, soak three hours.

Common lye, 1 can to 20 gals., or one tablespoon to each gallon of water, soak six to eight hours.

Dissolve ingredients in a little hot water then mix well in cold water.

The above should not be used in metal containers as they corrode metal.

Spraying may be done with following: 2 lbs. brown sugar, 2 tablespoons paris green, 3 gals. water. Spray when plants are 1 ft. high and once weekly until buds appear.

Our bulbs are disinfected, and be sure yours are.

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If interested in large plantings we can furnish bulbs at wholesale. Let us know your wants. We also have several varieties not on list. If there are special varieties you want, let us know.

Gladiolus will grow in almost any soil, but not so well near trees or too near buildings. They like lots of sun and a well drained soil. If your ground is rich do not use much fertilizer. Bone meal and sheep manure are very good lightly raked in the soil after bulbs are planted.

Gladiolus can be planted in a trench 7 or 8 inches wide in a double row from 2 inches apart or more, according to space and number of bulbs you wish to plant. Plant bulbs about 5 or 6 inches deep in light soil or about 4 inches in heavy soil and the small bulbs from 3 to 4 inches. Keep the weeds out and cultivate often as you want to, as they like it. Your reward will be finer flowers.

Cut the flowers when first blossoms show and by changing the water daily and removing withered blossoms they will keep a week or more. Be sure in cutting the blooms to leave 4 or more leaves on the plant to mature the bulb.

Dig the bulbs when the leaves turn brown, cut tops and dry for a few weeks; then remove old bulbs and root and store until planting time in cool, dry room or cellar, but be sure they do not freeze.

## GLADIOLUS LIST

Plan to have some of these in your garden.

		Per 10		
ALTON IMPROVED, large, much ruffled salmon, with many flowers open	.25	~~		
AIDA, tall, early, dark blue	.12	.50		
BLEEDING HEART, white suffused with light pink with bright red blotch	.15	1.00		
COMMANDER KOEHL, tall large red. Outstanding new red	.10	.80		
CHARLES DICKENS, tall purple violet, early bloomer	.10	.50		
CORNELIA COWLES, fine bright salmon with golden throat. Has 8 flowers open and blooms early	.15	1.25		
EVELYN TRAVER, tall, light cream yellow with a small scarlet throat mark	.10	.75		
FAIR KING, tall bright red. One of the finest	.10	.75		
GLORY OF U. S. A., good orange salmon	.12	.50		
H. A. HYDE, large pure white	.10	.80		
IMPERATOR, tall, robust growing white from Holland	.10	.75		
LAVENDER BRIDE, large smoky lavender	.12	.50		
LA PALOMA, tall bright orange. Good early bloomer	.12	.50		
LOYALTY, fine clear yellow. Large flowers	.15	.60		
MOTHER MACHREE, very tall grayish lavender, with silver reflex	.10	.80		
PRINCE OF INDIA, oddly marked salmon	.12	.50		
PAULINE KUNDERD, fine light rose with cream throat; 6 to 8 flowers open	.10	.80		
PICARDY, large flowered, light salmon pink. Great prize winner	.10	.80		
RODERIC DHU, large wide open pink with rose blotch	.10	.80		
VENUS, tall white with cream throat. Good early bloomer	.12	.50		
YVONNE, large blush white marked with rose	.12	.50		
A Few of Our Own				
During the blooming season visitors often admire our new seedlings and some-				
times request a certain favorite be named for themselves or a friend.  This season we are offering the following:				
	ach	Per 10		
BERNARD LAVERY, bright cerise with white lines in throat; tall and early	.15	1.25		
BLANCHE E. DAVIDSON, La France pink marked with bright rose, 8 or more flowers open	.50	4.00		
CLARA LAVERY, early large bright red, deeper red throat mark; 6 or more flowers open	.25	2.00		
DOROTHY HONEYWELL, bright salmon red, marked white with a silvery sheen, 6 to 8 flowers open	.25	2.00		
DAVID MORNHINWEG, large cerise crimson with a light cream throat, tall plant; blooms early	.25	2.00		
E. LOUISE FASOLDT, twilight shades of pink and creamy yellow, flowers ruffled	.25	2.00		
HENRIETTA MOORE, tall smoky light lavender with purple amaranth blotch; a fine grower, and has several flowers open	.25	2.00		
LILLIAN HOPPER, large early light salmon with orange reflex and coral rose markings; several flowers open on a tall spike	1.00	8.00		
MRS. JAMES MULROONEY, rich salmon red with deeper red stippling	95	0.00		

2.00

on a white throat; fine tall grower.....

MRS. WILLIAM HONEYWELL, early light pink with a bright red throat; has 8 flowers open and is a good grower and propagator	.25	2.00
MRS. BERNARD LAVERY, tall bright rose with a faint touch of cream in the throat	.25	2.00
MRS. FRANK BLITTERSDORF, tall showy pink, with a rose pink throat; a tall grower	.25	2.00
MRS. ELLA MAY SMITH, fine light salmon with bright rose lines in throat	.25	2.00

SPECIAL OFFER—One large bulb of each of the 13 listed above for \$3.25.

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## Any of the Following While Stock Lasts:

Large Bulbs	2 for 12c; 10 for 50c; 25 for \$1.00	
Medium Bulbs	3 for 10c; 10 for 30c; 25 for 60c	
Small bulbs	10 for 20c; 50 for 75c	
One each of 100 varieties, separately labeled	large, \$5.00; medium, \$3.50	
100 Bulbs, all different, not labeled	large, \$4.00; medium, \$2.50	
Bulb sizes: Large, 11/4 inches up; medium, 3/4 inch up; small 3/8 inch up.		

#### WHITE VARIETIES

Albania, Carmen, Sylva, Europa, Fern Kyle, Helen Franklin, Peace, Mary Pickford, Venus, Yvonne.

#### LIGHT PINK

Annie Laurie, A. B. Kunderd, Betty Joy, Fountaine, Gertrude Errey, Loveliness, Le Marechale Foche, Mona Lisa, Miss Madison, Mrs. A. W. Morrison, Pink Wonder, Virginia Hale, Wilbrink, Vesta Tilly.

#### PINK AND LIGHT SALMON

Apricot Glow, Amoret, Betty Nuthall, Dr. Van Fleet, Elizabeth Tabor, Break O' Day, Carolus Clusius, Giant Nymph, Helga, Gloriana, Iwa, Jenny Lind, Longfellow, Marshall Foche, Mrs. Vanderbilt, Nancy Hanks, Odin, Prince of Wales, Quinton, Salmon Glow, Shell Pink, E. G. Hill, W. H. Phipps, W. G. Badger.

#### DEEP PINK AND SALMONS

Coral, Hally, Jack London, Jeanne du Tailles, Mrs. L. Douglas, Tycko Zang, Trudel Grotz.

#### ROSE

Anthony Zonker, American Beauty, Crinkles, Damask, Dorothy McKibbin, Fay Lanphier, Pride of Wanakah, Mrs. A. W. Meeker, Pink Cloud, Pink Lilly, Peach Rose, Sweet Rose, Rose Glory, Romance, Rose Asche, Rosella, Rose Precose, Rose Mulberry.

#### AMERICAN BEAUTY

Dr. Nelson Shook, President Harding.

#### LIGHT RED AND ORANGE RED

Aflame, Bobby, David S. Jordan, Bengal Tiger, Immensity, J. A. Carbone, Early Sunrise, Majestic, Rubini, Scarlana, Thistle, Uhlan Chief, F. J. Symmes, Pfitzers Triumph.

#### DARK RED

Curentes Superba, Crimson Glow, Cardinal Prince, Black Hawk, Flaming Sword, Gov. Hanley, General Joffre, Illuminator, Red Fire, Red Star, Saraband.

#### DEEP RED

Arabia, Circe, Persia, Purple Glory, Neoga, Splendorra.

#### ORANGE AND BRONZE

Copper Bronze, Lorice, Marnia, Orange Queen, Orange Prince, Orange Glory, La Paloma.

#### YELLOW VARIETIES

Belinde, Butterboy, Draco Gloriosa, Gold, Gold Eagle, Gladsome, Golden Dream, Golden Frills, Golden Swallow, Golden Measure, Niagara, Sidney Plummer, Souvenir, Yellow Wonder.

#### LAVENDER, LIGHT BLUE AND ORCHID

Atalanta, Conspicuous, Costa Rica, Capt. Boynton, Byron L. Smith, Berty Snow, Geraldine Farrar, Herada, High Nye, Jane Addams, Lilac Wonder, Magic, Mrs. F. C. Peters, M. Van Rappard, Minuet, Nora, Orchid Lady, Opalescent, Rev. Eubank, Ruth Huntington, Sweet Lavender, The Orchid, Rosemary, Wisteria, Mrs. Von Konynenburg, W. A. Sisson.

#### DARK BLUES AND PURPLES

Aida, Blue Jay, Baron Hulot, Charles Dickens, Duchess of York, Elkhart, Fair Columbia, E. B. Williamson, Glendale, Goliath, Purpurea, Paul Pfitzer, Violet Beauty.

#### SMOKY COLORS

Emile Aubrun, London Smoke, Lavender Bride, Marmora, Sacajawea.

## Mixed Collections

- SELECT MIXTURE NO. 1—50c per dozen, \$3.00 per hundred, large bulbs; medium \$2.00 per hundred; small, \$1.00 per hundred. Over 40 different varieties made up from regular stock.
- NO 2, GOOD CUT FLOWER MIXTURE—\$2.00 per 100 large bulbs; \$1.25 per 100 medium bulbs; 75c per 100 small bulbs.
- SEEDLING MIXTURE—\$1.50 per 100 large bulbs, and \$1.00 per hundred medium.
- DAHLIAS—We grow over 60 varieties.
- MIXED DAHLIAS—Lost labels, etc.; some real good ones in this mixture; 12 for \$1.00.
- BANNER COLLECTION—12 large flowering kinds, all different, for \$2.00.
- PRIZE COLLECTION—12 extra good ones, labeled separately, for \$5.00; also several fine large varieties at 25c each.